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U.S. Patent No. 4,012,471 to Kunkle, Jr., issued March 15, 1977;
U.S. Patent No. 4,012,472 to Lindsey, issued March 15, 1977;
U.S. Patent No. 4,012,473 to Lindsey et al., issued March 15, 1977;
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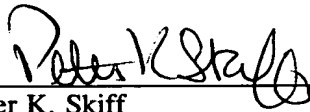
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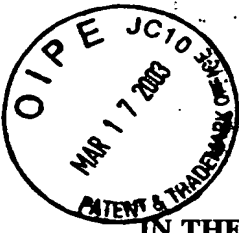
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